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AED Charter Awarded To SMC
20 Pre-Med Students To Be Inducted

Newly installed members of Alpha Epsilon Sigma, national pre-medical honorary society will be addressed by Dr. George A. Wolf Jr., M.D., Dean of the College of Medicine of the University of Vermont at a banquet at the Lincoln Inn, Saturday, following installation ceremonies.

The address will be entitled "Inegrity in Medicine". The text of Doctor Wolf's speech will be published in the A.E.D. publication "The Scalpel".

Dr. Edward Murphy, Professor of English will be Master of Ceremonies. Father Thomas Sullivan will introduce the main speaker.

Doctor Wolf has been Dean at the University of Vermont since 1952. He is a 1936 graduate of New York University and received his medical degree from Cornell University in 1941. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi national honorary fraternities as well as numerous other national, regional and local medical societies.

First Chapter In Vermont College

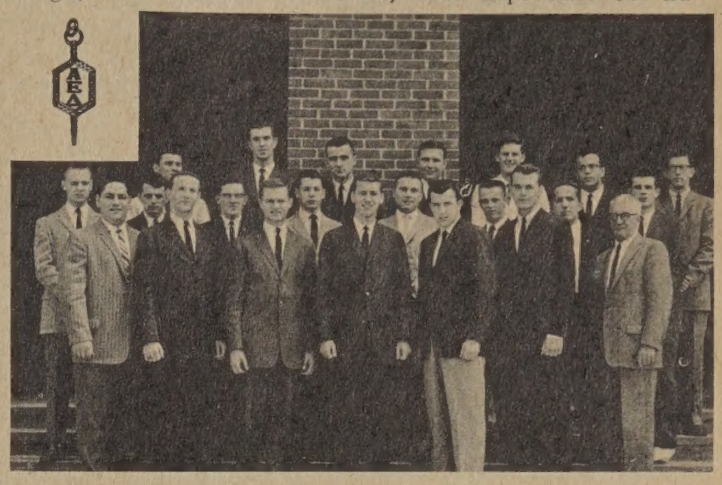
Alpha Epsilon Delta, national pre-medical honorary society, will award St. Michael's College the Vermont Alpha Chapter in ceremonies Saturday at 5:30 p.m. in Science Hall. Dr. Maurice Moore, National Secretary, and Rev. Dr. Charles V. Reichart, O.P. of Providence College, the National Treasurer, will represent the national organization.

The society was founded in 1926 at the University of Alabama to encourage excellence in the pre-medical curriculum and stimulate interest in the fields of medicine, dentistry and medical research. There are 76 chapters at colleges and universities in the United States and Canada. St. Michael's is the first college in Vermont to be honored with a charter.

Individual membership is based primarily on high academic standing for students with at least three semesters in the pre-medical curriculum.

CHARTER MEMBERS

Charter members that will be installed on Saturday are: Seniors: Frederick M. Burkle, Jr., Hamden, Ct.; Ronald E. Ducham, Lyndonville, Vt.; Gerald M. Dupree, Troy, N.Y.; John R. Graceffa, E. Boston, Mass.; William J. Haggerty, Portchester, N.Y.; William F. Kern, Springfield, Mass.; David F. Mahon, Peekskill, N.Y.; Robert E. Pellegrine, Phillisburg, N.J.; John R. Reddan, Trenton, N.J.; Albert E. Tarleton, Ridgewood, N.J.; Joseph H. Vargas, Rutland, Vt.; James M. Willard, Delhi, N.Y.; Juniors: George V. Cestaro, Elmont, N.Y.; Daniel G. Hajjar, Pittsfield, Mass.; Gary J. Healy, Bohemia, N.Y.; Ronald J. Janton, Rockville, Ct.; Thomas J. Lapine, Ogdensburg, N.Y.; William B. O'Connor, Brattleboro, Vt., also Michael J. Flanagan, and Richard E. Milisci, Class of 1960.



St. Michael's now has these 22 gentlemen listed among the annals of Alpha Epsilon Delta, national pre-medical honorary society.

Rev. Dr. Thomas D. Sullivan, Professor of Biology and Dr. Francis S. Quinlan, Professor of Chemistry will be installed as honorary members of Alpha Epsilon Delta at the ceremonies.

Rev. Paul R. Morin, SSE, Academic Dean, will accept the charter for the college at the installation.

At the installation ceremonies, the new slate of officers for 1960-61 for Alpha Epsilon Delta will take officer. They are: James Willard, who will succeed Fredrick Burkle as President; William Haggerty, vice-president; Gary Healy, secretary; Brian O'Connor, treasurer; Albert Tarleton, historian. Following the ceremonies in Science Hall, there will be a banquet at the Lincoln Inn for the new members.

St. Michael's received the charter under the auspices of the Pre-Medical Society. Frederick Burkle and Robert Pellegrine of the campus organization contacted the National Secretary of Alpha Epsilon Delta and expressed an interest in obtaining a charter for St. Michael's. They later attended the A.E.D. National Convention at the

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Sinnott Becomes Cadet Commander of AF ROTC

JERSEYITE ON DEAN'S LIST

by John Hamilton

The Tuesday afternoon military extravaganzas are back on the scene at St. Michael's and this year under the leadership of Cadet Colonel John Sinnott of Jersey City. Sinnott, a Deans' List Student and extraordinary cadet, will command the St. Michael's AFROTC Wing.

St. Peter's College served as a jumping off point for Sinnott's military training in Marine Officers Training School in Quantico, Virginia.

Now at St. Michael's Sinnott's talents are blossoming in the Concentration of Government and he has been on the Dean's List in his Sophomore and Junior years. A member of the St. Michael's R.O.T.C. Drill Team in his Freshman and Sophomore years, an outstanding Sabre Air Cadet his very first year and now the chief executive officer of the Arnold Air Society, Sinnott has become an example for all cadets.

Cadet Colonel Sinnott

INTERVIEW

In an interview with the Cadet Colonel, he stated, "The year 60-61 in the Cadet Corp will find many important revisions. Re-emphasized above all this year will be the concerted effort of the entire corp to develop the leadership potential of the basic cadet. The *merits* of the cadet rather than the *demerits* will be first in the order of importance."

With a great degree of esteem and faith in his officers, he said that by close observation, this years' corp has the greatest potential to succeed of any corp in the history of the school. With continued co-operation of the men in the corp, St. Michael's A.F.R.O.T.C. Wing will be second to none.

OFFICERS

The officers that will aid Cadet Colonel John Sinnott, are: Deputy Wing Commander - Cadet Lt. Colonel Robert Cornell; Administrative Officer - Cadet Lt. Colonel John Taylor; Personnel Officer - Cadet Lt. Colonel Donald Crummey; Training Officer - Cadet Lt. Col. Hugh McColl; Material Officer - Lt. Col. David Toussaint; Provost Marshal - Cadet Lt. Col. Robert Rice; Air Inspector - Cadet Lt. Col. Neil Kelley; I.S.O. Officer - Cadet Major George O'Connor.

Club Competion And Student Directory Among Student Council Considerations

A program for competition between the clubs on campus as proposed by Senior Class President, Charles Messenger was among the chief topics of discussion at the second meeting of the Student Council Tuesday.

This plan which has the Senior Class supervising a series of events between the various organizations was accepted by the Council.

Under this program, achievement points will be awarded to those clubs which show superior work in the specific competition. These points will then be recorded by the Council for further reference.

The points will then be used as one of the criterion for grants or other privileges which the particular club might desire in the future.

The Council also initiated a new seating plan for the first time on Tuesday evening. This arrangement places the individual classes in definite sections and leaves space for the club presidents to sit together. The plan will also facilitate WSSE's coverage of the meetings when the station begins operations.

Council President, Richard Hickey informed the members that a seminar concerning parliamentary procedure will be held after future meetings, conducted by Dr. Murphy. Mr. Hickey also announced that the Rollins Blazer sale will be held on October 12th.

STUDENT COUNCIL IN A WORD

Announcements:
1) Parliamentary Procedure Seminar to be conducted by Dr. Murphy.
2) Rollins Blazer sale, Oct. 12.

Dealings:
1) Interclass Track Meet announced.
2) Proposal for a Student directory by Dick Santora.
3) "Scientific" granted $11.00.
4) Proposal for club competition leading to achievement points by Charles Messenger, president of Senior Class.

The Finance Committee stated that all budgets for dances must be in the hands of the committee on the Sunday night before the Student Council meeting in which the budget will be voted upon.

Bill Freda, Senior class vice-president, told the assembly that the interclass track and field event will be held on Sunday. October 9th. This year a one and two mile run has been added by Doc Jacobs. Freda also announced the leadership of the Sophomores in interclass competion.

Dick Santora of the Sophomore class, proposed that the Student Council sponsor a student directory which would contain the campus address and phone number of each student.

Mr. Santora proposed that a "test directory" be distributed to each student and if the reaction to this idea is favorable, then the Council will sponsor a more expensive durable edition. Also listed in the directory would be the location of club offices and the names of their officers.

Rounding out the evening's activities, Joe Rowan was granted $11.00 to use in seeking national advertisers for the St. Michael's *Science Magazine*.

SMC PRESIDENT NOW CHAIRMAN

The president of St. Michael's College, the Very Rev. Gerald E. Dupont, S.S.E., is the new chairman of the membership committee of the executive committee of the National Catholic Educational Association, college and university department.

Fr. Dupont was elected at Chicago during the annual meeting of the committee this week. He also attended the meeting of the American Council on Education there.

A native of *Providence, R.I.*, Fr. Dupont was dean of studies at St. Michael's for 12 years before being named president in 1958.

He has been a member of the standing committee, Institutions of Higher Learning, New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and served as vice president of the American Catholic Historical Association.

Fr. Dupont keynoted the 1958 Vermont Conference on Education beyond the high school.

Encouragement

It has become evident that extra-curricular activities at St. Michael's are going to be given a much needed shot in the arm -- financially, that is, -- due to a policy set forth by Student Council President, Dick Hickey. In a recent meeting of the club and organization presidents, it was made quite clear that the Student Council of 1960-61 is determined to encourage, to a large extent, development of these groups.

The Council is making it possible for any existing organization on campus, whether it has been active for two years, one year or no years to request an allotment from the Student Government. Prior to this, there were constitutional barriers set up which made it extraordinarily difficult for an infant group to get off the ground. Financial encouragement is undoubtedly the most effective panacea.

This program is motivated no doubt by a dual cause. The first part was a sum of $1400 left dormant by last year's unambitious Council added to a sizable allotment by the College. This gives the Council a record-high total of $3400 to work with.

The second reason for the program is one which will be the predominant attitude of our Student Government this year. It is the keen awareness of a situation and the common-sense ability to cope with it and not become lost in constitutional regulations. This should have been done long ago!

The Infamous Minority

The induction of a large group of Pre-Med students into a National Honor Society and the report that St. Michael's will compete against stade-wide foes in soccer this fall are among the top considerations of the MICHAELMAN this week.

These exemplify the fact that the College is progressing rapidly towards a better St. Michael's. However, another story this week concerns that "select few" who continually make ineffective the good name established on other fronts. A welcome home from Plattsburgh is extended to these heroes in hopes that they be ostracized. How proud are the students of St. Michael's?

Prerogative

We live in a country where the government is "of the people, by the people and for the people." For many of us as students this never had any practical application. It was nice to know -- but where did you fit in?

However, there are some who will now become for the first time a part, truly, of the U.S. Government. Those of us who are of age are soon to be given the right to make use of the most important aspect of the democracy -- the vote.

If you are able, why not take part in the November elections? It's a free election now. Some day it may not be!

INTELLIGENTSIA

The purpose of THE INTELLIGENTSIA is to provide a scholarly viewpoint to a perplexing question. In order to achieve this end, the editorial staff of the MICHAELMAN has asked two professors to comment on the question of the week: DOES A CATHOLIC HINDER A LIBERAL VIEWPOINT? The first answer was written by Robert Daniels (P HD Harvard) Assistant professor of History at the University of Vermont. Next week be sure to read a report by Robert Spencer (P HD Chicago), head of the Department of Government at St. Michael's College, on the same inquiry.

We must first of all define what is meant by a "liberal viewpoint." To me, it is not a particular political or economic program, but a state of mind. I define the liberal mind as a willingness to face facts, to consider contrary opinions, and to admit to yourself that you might be wrong. The liberal point of view, as I understand it, encompasses the spirit of inquiry, healthy skepticism, considering new information and new theories, and new theories, and reserving judgment when the truth is not clear.

Are these qualities of the liberal point of view compatible with a dogmatic faith such as Roman Catholicism? I believe they are, if certain conditions are met. Strong faith is not so much a bar to the liberal attitude as a weak faith is. The person who is not really sure of his faith but is afraid to stand without it, does not dare to face the questions and doubts to which the liberal mind must remain open. If faith is held with sufficient strength and confidence, doubts and contrary ideas can be freely and fearlessly considered. It can even be argued that the best faith not only permits but requires a liberal point of view, so that it can be put to the test and confirmed by experience. Censorship by any authority, spiritual or secular, is a confession of of fear and weakness. Intolerance of any sort reflects the same lack of security in one's own position.

In practice, it is important for a Catholic College to distinguish between the realm of theology and the realm of natural phenomena and human affairs. This distinction has a firm foundation in traditional Catholic doctrine. In the natural and human realm, I can see no reason whatsoever for doctrine to constitute an inevitable impediment to the liberal spirit of inquiry and skepticism. The mere possibility, of course, does not guarantee that a man *will* be liberal. No matter what the presumptions of faith with which a person starts, it takes an effort to achieve the liberal attitude and to face the facts of this world as they are, however unpleasant they may seem from the standpoint of one's own cause and hopes. The liberal point of view is an ideal to be striven toward, over many man-made obstacles. This is true for Catholic and non-Catholic alike, in every country of the world.

BULLETIN

In a meeting of the Senior Class Wednesday it was decided that Mr. John Donoghue would receive the dedication of the 1960-61 edition Sheild, the St. Michael's yearbook. Mr. Donoghue the very busy Public Relations Director at the College edged out Fr. Paul Morin, Dean of Studies, and Dr. Joseph Amrhein head of the Business Department of honor.

BUSINESS FORUM

by Joe Kennedy

Recently an organization known as the International Committee for Scientific Management distributed a document known as the Shallenberger Report to its sponsors. In this report, a condition which has long been suspected, was admitted: A good manager is hard to find.

According to John Shallenberger, only 12% of the world's managers really know what they are doing in the management sense, that is. The rest have failed to benefit from the application of a scientific approach to the art of management.

Facts such as this cause us to wonder what type of preparation these men are receiving for their positions as Business managers.

Here in the United States we have the world's largest management associations, the most advanced schools of business administration, and the largest variety of courses and seminars for practising managers. But most U.S. managers, prefer to manage by intuition and have yet to accept or apply the management fundamentals that they have been exposed to in college.

It is, therefore, up to us as future administrators of our nation's business empire, not only to learn the principles and theories of scientific management well, but also to apply them practically, whenever we have the opportunity.

Vermont: "The Most Republican State"

Last week at this time in the Burlington Memorial Auditorium Vice-President Richard M. Nixon was greeted by an enthusiastic crowd of Republicans from all over the state of Vermont, including Winooski Park. The presidential candidate of the Republican Party received 30 seconds of applause, despite the fact that he was 30 minutes late.

Nixon said that he was proud to be in the most wonderful and most Republican state in the Union. He said that he "never had a better reception than the one I had here today." He said that he had to go to New Hampshire and Boston after leaving Burlington and expressed hope of returning to the Green Mountains for a vacation.

Nixon said that he had a case for the nation, a case why the people should vote for him as a man of experience, integrity and honor. He again stressed that we should not vote party label, we should send the man of the best character to the White House.

Nixon, in referring to the issues mentioned his part in foreign affairs, saying that he has visited 55 countries in the Middle East, Africa, South America and Europe. He said that things are fine in America and are going to get better. But said Nixon, "Americans want to be around to enjoy these good things we have. Our job is to elect the man who can best keep the peace."

The second point in the Nixon case was that of record: He said: "For seven and one half years I've worked with the president, participating in and helping make the decisions that had to be made." He said that he did not need to comment on the record of Henry Cabot Lodge because the record of his vice-presidential candidate was clear.

He said that the Eisenhower administration was one of results. "He got us out of one war and kept us out of other wars. Today we do have peace without surrender." He expressed his concern over the communist threat to pass us saying, "We cannot stand still. We must hold the line for peace."

Mr. Nixon then went on to his program: "A Republican administration will spend all that is needed and no more so as to have a balanced budget." The decisive element in America Nixon said is not how much the government spends but in the strength of American Ideas.

In closing the Vice-President brought to focus an oversimplified version of the political war. In a slam at Senator Kennedy, Nixon said "You don't have to tear down America to build her up."

Mr. Nixon in his motorcade from the Burlington Airport was originally scheduled to visit St. Michael's campus but due to his hurried program was unable to do so.

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ROTC Drill Team Looks For Fifth Consecutive Win

The Blue Knights, who achieved the title of New England Drill team champions for four consecutive years, are by no means complacent about the future. They know success depends on hard work and that the eight or nine teams at Westover Air Base this March will be out to win.

CAPABLE SUPERVISION

This year the team is under the capable supervision of Captain Robert Wilkins, who previously teamed with Captain Gores to give SMC a winning club. With cadet officers Frank Steele and Michael MaHovich, the boys will be handled by two cadet officers who have had plenty of experience in drilling competition.

The drill team consists of fifteen Sophomores and Freshmen, keeping the happy medium between the tyro and virtuoso. Cut of 110 prospectives for the drill team only thirty will be chosen in the coming weeks, a ratio of almost 4 to 1.

Last year's championship Drill Team performing at Parents' Weekend.

Captain Wilkins is optimistic in view of taking the team to the Cherry Blossom Festival in Washington if they win the New England title again this year. At the Capitol they will not only take a vacation but take a crack at national honors. Here the club will compete with teams from all over the United States, including the Air Force Academy and West Point.

Frank Steele who will command the team this season is a senior from Worcester, Mass. He has been on the squad for a number of years and also is president of the Outing Club.

Department Of Music Has William Tortolano As Head

Culminating the strenous efforts of John D. Donoghue, Director of Public Relations and former Music Director, the level of musical activity on the Hilltop has reached an all time high. Mr. 'D' desired the day when music would be rated in a separate department and come under the direction of a full time music professor. This year a department of music has been established at SMC, with Assistant Professor of Music, Mr. William Tortolano, Chairman of the Department.

Born in Providence, Rhode Island, Mr. Tortolano claims Boston, Mass., as his adopted home. In Boston, he was graduated from Boston University with a Bachelor of Music degree.

He then attended the New England Conservatory of Music where he received his Master of Music degree. It was during this period at the Conservatory that Mr. Tortolano met his lovely wife, the former Miss Martha Kane, who was graduated from the Conservatory with a Bachelor of Music degree at the same time Mr. Tortolano received his Master's degree.

In addition to his *formal* musical studies, Mr. Tortolano spent a year of study in music at the University of Buffalo and he spent the last two summers studying at the Berkshire Music Center in Lenox, Mass., better known as Tanglewood. Being a proficient organist, he is also a member of the American Guild of Organists.

Mr. Tortolano comes to St. Michael's from the New England Conservatory of Music where he was a member of the faculty and assistant Chorale Director.

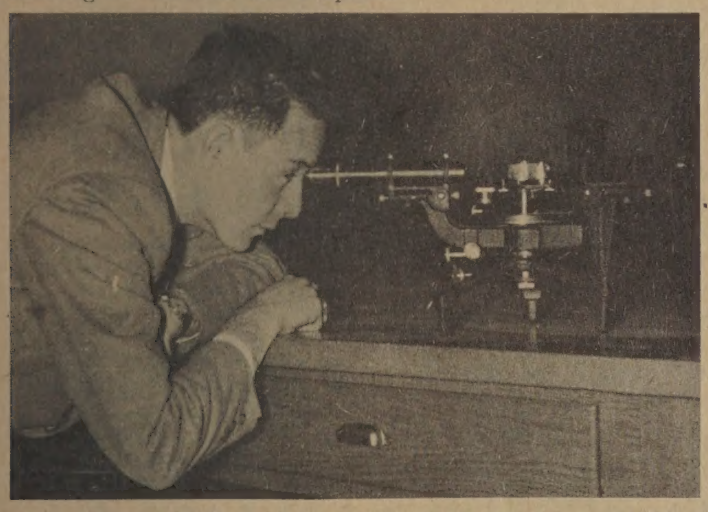
At St. Michael's, Mr. Tortolano will direct the Glee Club, the Choir, the Band and handle the Music lectures in the Humanities program.

Mr. William Tortolano

St. Michael's Professors Study Under NSF Grants

by Luis A. Villares

Two St. Michael's College instructors studied last summer under grants for College teachers offered by the National Science Foundation. Mr. Thomas R. Fennell, instructor of Physics, and Mr. Frank Vartuli, instructor of Physical Science, were awarded the grants consisting of tuition and stipends.



Mr. Thomas R. Fennell "in action" at the Science Hall.

Mr. Fennell enrolled in a four-week course on Atomic Physics at Rensselaer Polytechnical Institute, Troy, N.Y. Besides lectures and laboratories, the course was supplemented with field trips to the Yankee Atomic Plant at Rowe, Mass. and to the Alco Company where critical reactors are employed.

Mr. Fennell, a native of New York City, holds a B.S. in Electrical Engineering from Manhattan College, N.Y. He is working on his Master's degree at University of Vermont and has been a Physics instructor at St. Michael's for four years. He lives in Winooski, is married and has two children.

MR. VARTULI STUDIES AT REED

Mr. Frank Vartuli, a native of Winooski, attended Reed College in Oregon, where he satisfactorily completed a six week chemistry course. The purpose of the course was to introduce college teachers to a new high school science course, developed by the Physical Science Study Committee, in which students use simpler laboratory equipment and their classroom work is based on induction. Two members of the committee were present and helped in the instruction.

Mr. Vartuli received both his B.S. and M.S. in Chemistry from UVM. He has been a Physical Science instructor at St. Michael's for two years. Prior to his coming to St. Michael's Mr. Vartuli taught in New York and in the American School in Switzerand.

Seniors Told To Be Ready By Mr. Kenney

Thomas J. Kenney, Placement Director, strongly suggested in his Wednesday talk to a Senior Class meeting, that grad school inquiries be pursued forthwith and that appropriate test taking experience be undertaken.

"Our Liberal Arts training did a good job in giving us a leisurely attitude toward things but a quick response to grad school tests is needed," said Mr. Kenney. He recommended taking exams such as the New York Civil Service and the Federal Service Entrance Exams not only for employment but also as invaluable experience.

He also suggested a quick scan of books such as Carnegie's "How to Win Friends and Influence People", Sullivan's "How To Win Your Way Into Big Money", "The Status Seekers" by Packard and "The Organization Man", by Whyte. Mr. Kenney continued, "the beneficial aspects of these are self-evident. Competition is great and everything possible should be done to meet and overcome it."

This course of action was also recommended to Juniors. "All should bear in mind the aims and objectives of the colleges when dealing with the application processes. This will entail an imagenative sequence of letter writing and of course the filling of application blanks. Quality cannot possibly be overemphasized," said Mr. Kenney. A moderate recruiting season is expected by Mr. Kenney with emphasis on insurance firms. Government agencies, Shell, U.S. Rubber, Grand Union, IBM, and others.

Brothers Rose To Play At Junior Dance

Saturday evening Oct. 8, from 8 to 12 P.M. will be highlighted by another evening of dancing to the fine music of THE JOE ROSE QUINTET, in "Autumn On The Hilltop" in Austin Hall. Featured in the Quintet are: "The Brothers Rose", Al and Joe, Ray Buscemi, Bill Mazur, and Dave Coupal. Since it initiates the Junior campaign to raise funds for their big weekend next Spring, all Michaelmen are urged to attend.

Committee heads include: Publicity, Tom Lapine and Pete Cristo; Decorations, Pete Imbres and Bill Yeomans; and Tickets, Tom Robinson and Mike Joyce.

Tickets will be sold in the dormitories through Friday night, but due to the large attendance anticipated, only a limited number will be available at the door. Admission, stag or drag, is $1.00. Girls admitted free.

Alumni In N.H. Told Of Rise In College Cost

At a President's dinner in Manchester, New Hampshire, Saturday night, St. Michael's president, Very Rev. Gerald E. Dupont, S.S.E., spoke to the New Hampshire chapter of St. Michael's Alumni Assn. on the rising cost of a college education.

Fr. Dupont said there are "some reasons to be a little apprehensive about rising college costs." Comparing the unbalanced expense condition which exists between private colleges and subsidized institutions, he said, "Unless this disparity can be bridged by voluntary donations to *all* private colleges---and not just a fortunate few---they will find their enrollments sharply retrenched. The expansion plans of the private colleges would be larger if these colleges could count with confidence on greater support".

Guests included: Most Rev. Ernest Primeau, Bishop of Manchester; Bernard Boutin, Democratic nominee for governor (as well as Alumni Chapter President); and Very Rev. Bernard Holmes, O.S.B., President of St. Anselm's College. Mr. Victor LeMieux, associate trustee of St. Michael's served as chairman. Also in attendance were 210 civic leaders and alumni.

Fr. Dupont in pointing out the disparity that exists however, did mention the fact that despite it all St. Michael's has been able to continue its huge expansion program.

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Student Teachers Increase

Thirty students, a two to three hundred per cent increase over last year, are currently enrolled in the Student Teaching Program under the direction of Francis J. Dermody, Head of the Education Dept.

Mr. Dermody disclosed that under the guidance of H. Dean Pearl, Director of Student Teaching and professor emeritus of the University of Vermont, this record number of SMC seniors recently embarked on the three-phase program.

The first part of the course is devoted to a preparatory seminar, followed by a six-week student teaching assignment. During this six-week period, which starts Nov. 28, each student will go to an area high school for this field experience. This year students will draw assignments from schools as far away as Orleans and Montpelier and as near as Winooski.

Mr. Dermody further explained that this two to three hundred per cent increase is at least in part due to the realization of increasing pay, benefits, and security for the secondary school teacher.

H. Dean Pearl is a retired UVM professor, Dean of Admissions at Champlain College and widely known educator on the New England scene.

SOCIETY

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University of Louisville, Kentucky. The St. Michael's petition for membership was submitted and approved in May of this year. The Pre-Medical Society was formed in 1958 from the membership of the Biology Club, the activities of which were primarily concerned with Pre-Medical and Pre-Dental courses. Mr. Richard DiLorenzo has been advisor to the club, since joining the faculty in 1958.

An Attempt At Understanding

When Dr. Henry Fairbanks returned from his work in Vietnam he was interviewed by MICHAELMAN staffer, Ray LeRoux. The result of this informative and interesting meeting will appear in a series of articles entitled AN ATTEMPT AT UNDERSTANDING to appear in this and subsequent issues of the college newspaper.

Q. DR. FAIRBANKS, WHAT WAS THE NATURE OF YOUR GRANT?

A. Smith-Mundt professors are State Department grantees selected by the U.S. Government, on the advice of the American Council of Learned Societies, to teach at foreign universities-usually subjects pertaining to American culture or achievement in which they are specialists and in which the host country has expressed special interest. But the program represents a "partnership" between the host country and America. Vietnam, for example, selects the American nominee from a list submitted by the American State Department, and also shares in the expense of maintaining the "guest scholar" during his term of residence.

Q. WHAT WAS THE NATURE OF YOUR WORK IN VIETNAM?

A. In Vietman, I lectured at the University of Saigon in the dual Faculties of Letters (Liberal Arts) and Pedagogy (teacher training. During the academic year, which incidentally ends in March, I also taught at a Chinese high school for overseas Chinese, a group, by the way that the Communist make a tremendous effort to influence.

Q. DID YOU HAVE ANY PRIVATE PUPILS?

A. One of my assignments after the academic year was formally over was to confer daily with the President of the Vietnamese National Assembly to orient him for a pending diplomatic mission to the United States.

Q. WASN'T THIS A HEAVY SCHEDULE?

A. Say, rather, an interesting one for, in addition, I served as an "adviser" to the Vietnam Press as desk editor for Foreign Export. In the latter capacity, I was frequently assigned to travel the entire country. One such assignment was to cover the agricultural experiment the "Agrovilles", in the guerilla-harassed area of South Vietnam. Another interesting assignment was to inspect and report on the government educational program among

Dr. Fairbanks and his wife astride a pair of camels in this unforgetable picture which appeared in last year's MICHAELMAN.

the Aborigines, who still follow many habits of the Stone Age. I was also assigned to visit the imperial capital, Hue, on the border between North (Communist) Vietman and South Vietnam, on the 17th parallel, comparable to the division line between free and communist world to the famous 38th parallel in Korea.

Q. LAST YEAR THE MICHAELMEN NOTED YOUR TRIP TO VIETNAM. WHAT WAS THE HIGHLIGHT OF YOUR TRAVEL?

A. Most definitely, my travels through the Holy Land, retracing the steps of Our Lord and visiting scenes associated with the origin of Christianity.

Q. HOW DID YOU RETURN?

A. Completing the globe - girdling literally -- through Hong Kong, Portugese Macao, Taipeh, Tokyo, Hawaii, San Francisco, and finally to Washington for the debriefing process.

Q. WHAT ARE THE BELIEFS OF THE VIETNAMESE?

A. The majority of the people are of Buddhist, Animist, or Confucianist origin or a combination of these three basic groups. However there are numerous Christians; in fact, there is a greater proportion of Christians in Vietnam than anywhere else in Asia. This can be accounted for by the early advent of Europeans in the 17th century and also by the long French occupation of the country from 1863 on.

Senior Named Frosh Prexy

by Phil Lagoy

As is customary here on the Hilltop, an honorary president has been appointed to head the freshman class until they elect their own president shortly before the Christmas holiday. This year the Honorary President is Carl "Bernie" Denisio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carmine B. Denisio of Schenectady, New York.

Under his capable leadership, the freshmen have so far received many words of praise from members of the faculty and student body as well. And the Denisio coached frosh gridsters have proved to be the upstarts of the league knocking over the bigger and more experienced Seniors and Sophomores.

No stranger to the upperclassmen on campus, Denisio is one of the most active men on campus. He is vice-president of the Crown and Sword Society, and Treasurer of his class and a member of the Student Council. Denisio is now in his fourth year as a member of the Pre-Medical Society. He was also a committee chairman for last year's highly successful Junior Weekend.

Denisio has expressed hopes that the Freshmen can stage a rather large upset by taking the laurels at the interclass track meet on October 9.

When interviewed Denisio said, "The Frosh have shown themselves to be a class of tremendous potentiality, and they deserve a great deal of credit for the spirit and enthusiasm they've shown so far. Keep it up, boys!"

C n'S SOCIETY HAS OPENINGS

The Crown and Sword Society is now accepting members from the Junior class. Those interested are requested to fill out their applications by the following guide:

1) Full name - campus address.

2) Resume of all extra and co-curricular activities in which you have actively participated.

3) Resume of all honors accumulated. (academic and other)

4) Resume of all the activities you have seen the Society perform in your years at St. Michael's.

5) Your overall impression of St. Michael's College.

6) Several well planned paragraphs explaining why you desire membership and what you could add to the Society as a member.

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE TYPED AND IN THE FORM OF A BUSINESS LETTER.

Submit your application to Roger Plasse (Admissions - Crown and Sword Society) on or before the fourteenth of October.

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DATE.

Faculty Members To Visit Alumni, Parents In Tour

Our president, Father Dupont, with Alumni-Secretary Thomas J. Kenney, will visit 24 Alumni and Parents' centers ranging from Washington D.C. to Maine during the next month. The Alumni are being asked to complete their three year pledge toward the new Student Union building, and the parents will be asked to support a $40,000 dormitory furnishing project.

Among points to be stressed will be the extraordinary student support manifested last year in the Student Loyalty Fund. The total of that collection was $1200, donated by over 90 per cent of the Student body. This student program was inaugurated to put Father Dupont in a position to persuade people that the college not only needed, but merited, support, as displayed by the co-operation of the student body.

Over the past five years, Alumni support was increased from a yearly donation of about $9000 to $40,000.

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The Spartans have great halfbacks and ends but Iowa, ranked third in the nation, will have too much overall strength.

HARVARD over CORNELL

A great soph halfback, Hobie Armstrong, and a smooth backfield to complement him, will lead a much stronger Harvard team to victory.

CONNECTICUT over MASSACHUSETTS

This one is a toss-up, but the UCONNS have a slight edge in experience.

PURDUE over WISCONSIN

The Boilermakers last week against Notre Dame showed an explosive offense which the Badgers will have trouble stopping.

ILLINOIS over OHIO STATE

Illinois' fast veteran team led by fullback Bill Brown will sneak by State in a hard fought game.

NOTRE DAME over NORTH CAROLINA

Humbled by Purdue last week the Fighting Irish will bounce back to defeat the Tarheels.

SYRACUSE over HOLY CROSS

The big Orange should have no trouble winning their twentieth game in a row.

Seniors, Juniors, Freshmen Gain Wins In Football Tilts

INTERCLASS

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will be given on the 15-10-5 basis with individual points given on a 5-first, 3-second, 1-third system.

Skiing will also be on the schedule this year. Points will follow the usual system in team competition and in the individual points it will run 10 thru 1. The skiing event will include the giant slalom, a great thrill for both spectators and contestants as well.

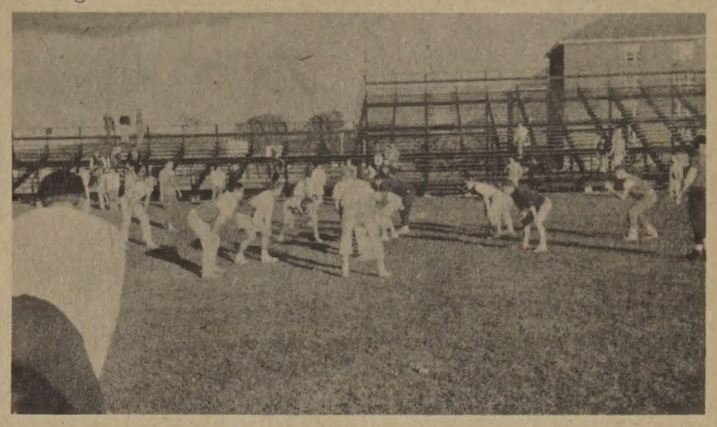
Tennis will be the last athletic event on the schedule. It is in the hands of Gordie Ide, last year's singles champ. Point distribution will follow the usual system with no individual point awards.

Interclass debating will be decided on the same point system. Ties will be broken on speaker points and, if necessary, speaker ranks.

Interclass writing will be divided into three main categories with 3-2-1 system in each category. Team points will be the same, namely 15-10-5. This competition is in the care of Joe Coppola.

The above encompasses all the events yet planned. Under consideration is a bridge competition, but nothing as yet has been decided on in this regard.

In Interclass Football action this week the Sophomores, who were leading the pack earlier, quietly took a pasting from both the Freshmen and the Seniors. This resulted in the tightening up of an already evenly matched league to be decided now in the second half, up coming.



In Thursday's action the Juniors, here on defense, took the game Freshmen by a 19-13 count.

Bob McGee continued to spark the Juniors over all opposition as he led them to a 19-13 victory over the Frosh. Bob figured in all the scoring as he threw to Dalton for one TD and then pitched to Imbres for two more. The extra point was added on another pitch to Imbres.

The Frosh had some fun of their own though, and fought hard to pull it out. Quarterback Micky Moughan threw strikes to Wilson and Goutas for the touchdowns, and dittoed the toss to Goutas for the extra point.

SENIORS WIN

The Senior Interclass Football team fought its way back into contention by virtue of a 2-0 squeaker over the fading Sophs.

Although the Sophs threw up a solid defense, they couldn't move the ball and as a result found themselves continually with their backs to the wall.

After three and one half periods of sparkling defense, the Senior's Clifford broke through the Soph line to trap Mike Martin in the end zone for the only two points of the game.

Without a doubt this game was the hardest fought of the year with both teams throwing their weight around. Especially "weighty" were Guariglia and Richards for the Sophs and Clifford for the Seniors.

Offensive standouts were Denny McCarthy for the Seniors and Paul Hensinkamp for the Sophs, both making professional catches time after time.

SOPHS UPSET

The battling Frosh, smarting from setbacks in their first two games, upset the Sophs by a score of 6-2.

The Sophs, seemingly complacent after their fast start this season, couldn't gain any momentum with the ball. However, they did break the ice as Tony Guariglia broke through the Frosh line to nab Micky Moughan in the end zone to put the Sophs up by a 2-0 count.

The lead was short lived however, as Moughan passed to Finkenzella for the only touchdown the Frosh needed.

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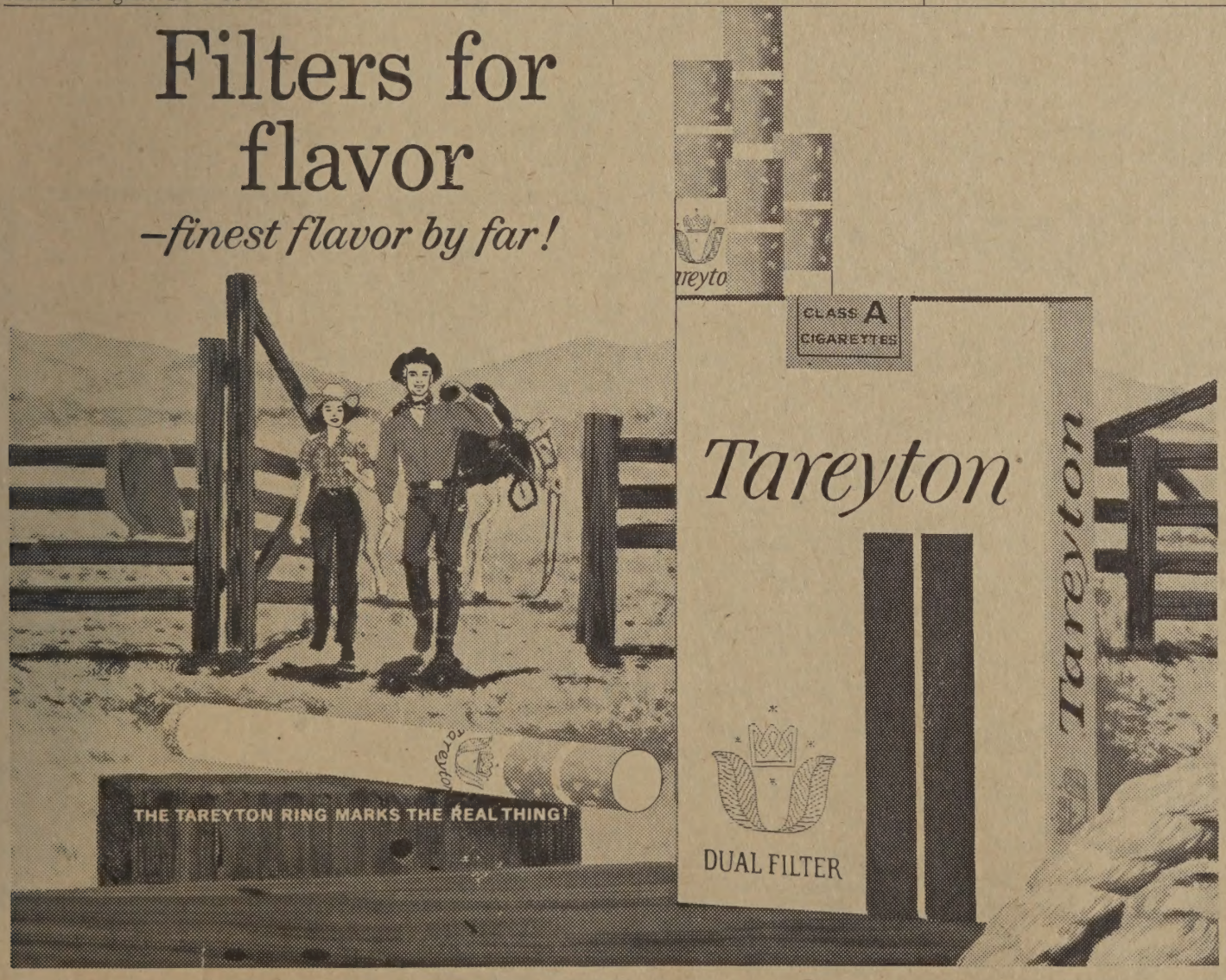

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SPORTS CORNER

by Wayne Roberts

1960 was a heartening year and a disappointing year for the United States Olympic Team. In the events we expected to do well in, namely track and field, we did poorly in. The events in which we were not particularly strong, notably swimming, we did quite well in.

The U.S. has always taken pride in its track and field teams, and rightly so. We have been a perennial powerhouse in this phase of the Games. We still turned in a creditable performance this year, taking 9 gold medals. Russia was next with 5. However, this was to be the year of the greatest American track and field contingent ever. Four years ago we took 15 gold medals. It was hoped, and even expected in some circles, that we'd do better this time.

In the high jump Thomas could do no better than third place, behind two Russians. In the 800 meter run, won by the U.S. every year since 1928, we failed to qualify. The 200 meter dash, which we also hadn't lost since '28, went to an Italian with favored Ray Norton finishing last. Norton had another stroke of bad luck as he caught the baton out of the passing zone in the 400 meter relay and disqualified the U.S. team, which had won the event. Ray was again the scapegoat in the 100 meter dash as the favorite came home last. This event the U.S. had won every time since 1928. In the hammer-throw, world champion Hal Connolly failed to even qualify. Two time Olympic champ Tommy Kono lost his world record in weightlifting to a Russian.

It was not all disappointment, however. Ralph Boston and "Bo" Robertsonwere surprises and took 1-2 in the broad jump. Bill Neider, Parry O'Brien and Dallas Long placed 1-2-3 in the shotput. Al Oerter, Rink Babka and Dick Cochrane snagged 1-2-3 in the discus. Otis Davis set a new world record in the 400 meter dash. Rafer Johnson defeated C.K. Yang for the decathlon title. These are just a few of the outstanding performances put on by our cindermen.

On the brighter side was the tremendous job done by Wilma Rudolph, only American woman athlete ever to win 3 gold medals in track and field. She took the 100 and 200 meter dashes and anchored the Tennessee State 400 meter relay team.

There were many reasons advanced for the failure of our track and field team. Among them: 1) too much social life, 2) bad management and lack of discipline, 3) the almost complete absence of teamwork and spirit, 4) bad food (diarrhea hit many) and lack of beds (many slept on floors). All in all though, I think our track and field team did a commendable job. The only thing I can't help thinking about is that we might have taken the U.S.S.R. had our harriers lived up to their expectations.

SMC Soccer Team Has Hard Three Games Scheduled

Attired in their new royal blue and gold uniforms, the St. Michael's Soccer Team will inaugurate its first season on October 19, at Middlebury College. After losing only one game last season the Panthers are expected to be a powerhouse this year.

The schedule has the Knights visiting Lyndon Teachers on October 24 and Norwich October 28.

Probable starters for the Middlebury game will be two experienced men, Bob Patterson at center halfback, and Pedro Quiros at center forward.

Other probable starters are, Albert Tarleton at right fullback, Mike Fiondella, left fullback, Lincoln Streeter, goalie, Bob Tobin, right halfback, and Bob Donald at left halfback.

Rounding out the probable starters are, Dave Carmody at right wing, Camilo Brenes, right half-wing, Mike Cambo, left half-wing, and Oscar Osorio at left wing.

Coach Citarella says that this years team is not in the same class as its opponents, but in two years he expects to field a much stronger club.

The Purple Knights will not be an easy team to beat in their first year of soccer. Both Middlebury and Norwich, the latter being undefeated last season, will find the Knights very strong up the middle, especially at the fullback spot.

St. Michael's College
Soccer Schedule 1960-61

Oct. 19 Middlebury Away
Oct. 24 Lyndon Teachers Away
Oct. 28 Norwich Away

Interclass Trophy Race Outlined

With the opening of the Interclass Football League at St. Michael's the annual quest for the Victorious Knights Trophy is off to a fast start. This year the installation of bridge tournament may be invoked.

First on the schedule are the Interclass Football tilts. These will be divided into halves, three games making up each half. The winner of the first half will meet the winner of the second half to determine the championship. Won last year by the class of 1961, the gridiron championship merits 15 points toward the trophy. Second place will merit 10 points and the third place finisher will get five points.

Not far behind football comes Interclass Track which is to be held this Sunday afternoon. The same 15-10-5 point system will be used as in football. Track will also see the awarding of individual points for outstanding performances. They will be given on this basis; three for first, two for second, and one point for a third place finish.

Next in view is Interclass Bowling. This includes both duckpins and tenpin competition. This will also be scored on 15-10-5 basis. The class of 1960 copped both titles last year. Since they have departed, the race for the title will be wide-open.

Interclass Basketball will come upon the scene in the not too distant future. The title last year was won by the class of 1961, this year's seniors. Individual points will be awarded on a five per game basis.

Softball will begin after Easter. Again, the class of '61 were on top of last year's standings. Points will be the usual 15-10-5 system with 5 points per game as bonus.

An Interclass Rifle league will be in action again this year. Pete Culhane, a senior and outdoorsman extraordinary, will be in charge of this event. Points will be given on the same basis and ten points will be given to the high scorer.

Swimming will also be on scene this year. In charge of this is Dan Mahoney. Points

Interclass Track Meet To Be Held On Sunday

by Bob Butter

Six returning event winners will see action in the traditional Inter-Class Track Meet which is resuming its position on the athletic scene at SMC Sunday afternoon.

Ten events are to be offered: the shot put, the standing broad jump, the running broad jump, the discus throw, the baseball throw, the football throw, the 100 yard dash, the 200 yard dash, the half mile relay, and the football punt.

This meet will mark the resumption, after a year's absence, of what has come to be somewhat of a tradition at St. Michael's. The defending titlists are: Jr. Jim VanWagenen, who prevailed in the 200 yard dash; Sr. Bob Benashski who won the discus event with a heave of 91' 5½"; and seniors Ken Downs, Keith Amerman, Don Crummy, and Jim Kan who combined to win the half mile relay back in '59.

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